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6 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
7 EASTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON

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9 UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

10 Plaintiff,

11 vs.

12 JERROD JUSTIN HALE,

13 Defendant

Case No.: 4:21-CR-06008-SMJ-3

DEFENDANT'S STATEMENT OF  
REASONS IN SUPPORT OF THE  
MOTION TO CONTINUE TRIAL

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15 My attorney has advised me of my right under the Speedy Trial Act,  
16 18 U.S.C. § 3161, to go to trial within a seventy-day period. My attorney has  
17 also advised me that a continuance of the trial is needed, and we discussed  
18 the reasons for a continuance.  
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20 A motion to continue the trial has been filed.  
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22 My attorney has advised me, and I understand that, if the Court grants  
23 the motion to continue that all time between the date the motion to continue  
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1 was filed and the new date for trial will be excluded from the speedy-trial  
2 period under the Speedy Trial Act.

3 After reviewing the motion and discussing the reasons for the  
4 requested continuance with my attorney, I knowingly and voluntarily ask  
5 this Court to grant that motion to continue and reset the trial date from its  
6 current date of the trial date from its current date of May 10, 2021 to a date  
7 not later than August 23, 2021 for the reasons found in 18 U.S.C. § 3161: I  
8 have not been able to fully review the discovery with my attorney. I want to  
9 provide my counsel with adequate time to prepare for trial, if that is what I  
10 choose to do.  
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14 I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and  
15 correct.

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17 Jerrod Justin Hale

3/25/2021  
Date

18 Defendant telephonically approved and permitted counsel  
19 to sign

20 I have read this form and discussed the contents with my client

21 /s/ Tim Nguyen  
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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on March 25, 2021, I electronically filed the Statement of Reasons to Continue Trial with the Clerk of the Court using the CM/ECF System, which will send notification of such filing to the following: Stephanie Van Marter, Assistant United States Attorney.

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